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TO DIR INFO (OPIM) MASH CITE HAVA 7000

JNET RE HAVA 6959 (IN 4654E)*

1. AFTERNOON 23 NOV AMPAN-1 TOLD SCORGORY FULL STORY RE "OPERATION UNITY":

(A) IT TO BE OP PLANNED BY MRR, MOI, OA, 30 NOV GROUP (DAVID SALVADOR'S) AND MAR. AMPAN-1 LEADER OF MAR WHICH NOT TO BE CONFUSED MAR OF PEPIN RIVERO.

(B) [ANGEL COFINO GARCIA] ⁰⁶ EMPLOYEE CUBAN ELECTRIC, SENT [ALBERTO GOMEZ] ⁰⁶ AND [GUILLERMO MESTRE FERNANDEZ] ⁰⁶ TO NEW YORK (LATTER NOT IDENTICAL WITH SOURCE OF REF WHO NEPHEW [ABEL AND GOAR MESTRE]), PURPOSE DISCUSS WITH ELECTRIC BOND AND SHARE COMPANY PLANS SABOTAGE HABANA PLANT. FIRM AGREED PAY HALF MILLION U.S. DOLLARS TO GROUP WHICH EXECUTES OP SUCCESSFULLY.

(C) AMPAN-1 CONFIRMED ROLE [JESUS FERNANDEZ] ⁰⁶ AND SIX OTHER EMPLOYEES. HOWEVER DENIED THAT HE PROVIDED PLASTIC FOR OP SAYING DEMO EQUIPMENT CAME FROM RAY GROUP.

(D) OPS TO BE INITIATED WHEN AND IF [BRAZILIAN] CONSUL NOTIFIES AMPAN-1 THAT LAUNCH AVAILABLE FOR EXFILTRATION SABOTEURS. AMPAN-1 EXPECTS CONFIRMATION FROM CONSUL NIGHT 23 OR 24 NOV, AFTER WHICH OPS TO BE TRIGGERED THREE HOURS LATER.

(E) TO SUPPLEMENT ABOVE MRR, MAR AND OA GROUPS WILL IMMEDIATELY GO INTO ACTION TO BLOW ELECTRIC CABLES IN REGLA AREA WHICH FEED CURRENT TO OIL REFINERIES. AT SAME TIME MOI GROUP WILL MAKE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON CARLOS RAFAEL RODRIGUEZ AT UNIV OF HABANA.

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(F) ALSO PREPARED BOMB 18 GASOLINE STATIONS AND GLOW CITY HALL
GUANABACOA.

2. EARLIER 23 NOV [ARETZ] MET [JULIO MESTRE] WHO ADDED FOLL SIGNIFICANT INFO:
ALL PARTICIPATING GROUPS HAVE AGREED THAT IF ANY SINGLE GROUP ATTEMPTS TAKE CREDIT THIS OF THOSE MAKING SUCH CLAIM WILL BE KILLED. REASON IT CALLED "OPERATION UNITY" IS THAT CREDIT FOR ACTION TO GO TO FRD INSIDE CUBA, OBJECTIVE OF WHICH PROVE TO FRD MIAMI THAT PEOPLE IN CUBA REALLY CONTROL FRD AND HOPE SIMILAR UNITY WILL BE ACHIEVED OUTSIDE. SECOND AIM IS FORCE MANOLO RAY INTO FRD COMPLEX IF HE EXPECTS RECEIVE SUBSTANTIAL SUPPORT.

3. PARTICIPANTS IN OP WILL IDENTIFY SELVES AS MEMBERS OF "GRUPO COMANDO PLINIO PRIETO."

4. STATION SHARES AMPAÑ-1 VIEW THAT OP IF SUCCESSFUL WILL RESULT IN DESPERATE STRUGGLE BY CASTRO IN ORDER MAINTAIN REGIME TO INCLUDE SEVERE REPRESSIVE MEASURES.

END OF MESSAGE

C/S COMMENT: *STATED WHAT [JULIO MESTRE] TOLD STATION.

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